

SENATOR BEUTLER: Is there anybody else who would care to vote? We are about to record. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to advance LB 344, Mr. President.

SENATOR BEUTLER: The bill advances. Next item, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, if I might right before that read some material. Senator DeCamp would like to print amendments to LB 517. The Government Committee reports 512 to General File with amendments attached, as well as 423 just to General File, both signed by Senator Landis as Chair. (See pages 896-897 of the Legislative Journal.)

I have a Report of the Registered Lobbyists for this past week, and, Mr. President, a new A bill, LB 415A. (Read for the first time by title. See page 897 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, LB 72 was a bill offered by Senator Chambers. (Read title.) The bill was read on January of this year. It was referred to the Miscellaneous Subjects Committee. It was advanced to General File, Mr. President.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Before we recognize Senator Chambers, I would like to recognize on behalf of Senator Vickers a couple of guests of his from McCook, Nebraska, Miss Angela Janssen and Miss Casey Drake who are students and under the south balcony. Welcome to the Legislature. Senator Chambers, have at it.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, this is a bill which would legalize something which is done by all categories in society right now including members of the Legislature. As a matter of fact, an activity in which the Legislature engaged toward the beginning of the session which under current law is illegal was the putting up of money into a pool to determine which person could select...could come closer to determining how many bills overall would be introduced this session. So gambling is something which this society has no scruples against legalizing. Thus far it has selected those forms that benefit what I call the blue stockings and blue noses, that is at Ak-Sar-Ben and the other tracks. The churches